

INCIDENT STATUS SUMMARY (IMS 209-010)

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1. Incident Name:	2. Operational Period:	Date From:	2022-02-10	Date To:	2022-02-11
PEOC IMS 209 (010)- PS3- Civil Disorder – Freedom Convoy		Time From:	18:00 EST	Time To:	17:00 EST
3. Current Situation:					
(Please note, only impacted CI sectors are included below)					
a. Province					
(1) Premier of Ontario declared a provincial emergency on 2022-02-11.					
(a) Declaration of Emergency is in effect for the next 42 hours to mobilize additional enforcement tools for protection of:					
i. critical international border crossings, ports of entry, highways, and railways;					
ii. movement of services, people, and goods;					
iii. ambulatory movements for medical services;					
iv. critical trade routes between Canada and the United States.					
(b) Cabinet will convene during the next 24 hours to produce emergency orders related to declaration.					
b. Ottawa					
(1) General Situation					
(a) The City of Ottawa declared an emergency on 2022-02-06.					
(b) There are confirmed reports of 480+ convoy vehicles in the city on 2022-02-11.					
(c) The City of Ottawa EOC remains activated virtually and is coordinating with the NCRCC.					
(d) An EMO Field Officer continues to be virtually deployed to maintain situational awareness.					
(2) Public Safety and Security					
(a) There are media reports of multiple convoys expected from Quebec.					
(b) Ottawa Police Services (OPS) report that police are continuing enforcement activities.					
(c) Emergency response agencies in Ottawa are reporting an increase in false calls, potentially overwhelming their call centres.					
(3) Transportation networks					
(a) Rolling convoys are possible on Highway 417 this weekend as convoys are expected to arrive from Quebec / Sussex.					
(b) Ongoing traffic impacts into Ottawa downtown core are updated regularly at Demonstration in Ottawa City of Ottawa website.					
(c) Efforts are ongoing to resolve the issue around towing capacity support to By-Law enforcement.					
(d) A traffic management plan is in place.					
(4) Health Care					
(a) Potential impacts to services of paramedicine and hospitals in the area are being monitored and hospitals are continuing to review surge protocols. Hospital staffing issues are being addressed in advance of the weekend.					
(b) The University of Ottawa vaccine clinic will remain closed until at least 2022-02-15.					
(c) Home and Community Care continues reduced care support and assessment of communities impacted by the demonstrations.					
(5) Continuity of Government					
(a) Service Ontario at City Hall remains closed.					
c. Toronto					
(1) General Situation					
(a) An EMO Field Officer is deployed to maintain situational awareness.					
(b) The NOTAM over Queen's Park remains in effect until 2022-02-13					

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- (c) Protest convoy staging areas for 2022-02-12 identified as:
 - i. Vaughan Mills
 - ii. Yorkdale
 - iii. Sherway Gardens
 - iv. Square One
 - (d) Protest convoys expected to converge on the downtown core by 12:00pm on 2022-02-12 with potential impacts on QEW/Gardiner, Don Valley Parkway and Hwy 401.
 - (e) There are two counter protests planned for downtown Toronto on Saturday 2022-02-12.
- (2) Transportation networks
 - (a) Toronto Police Services (TPS) implemented road closures in the downtown area in anticipation of potential vehicle protests. Road closures include Queen's Park Circle, between Bloor Street and College Street.
 - (b) Further transportation network impacts are possible over the next 24 hours.
- (3) Health Care
 - (a) No reports of impacts to transportation routes on the hospital row (University Ave).
 - (b) TPS will prioritize access to emergency routes during any upcoming protest activity.
- d. Sarnia / Point Edward
 - (1) General
 - (a) An EMO Field Officer is deployed virtually to maintain situational awareness.
 - (b) Counter protests are scheduled in Sarnia this weekend.
 - (2) Transportation networks
 - (a) Blue Water Bridge
 - i. Michigan Department of Transportation reports over 90 minutes wait times for commercial crossings from U.S. to Canada - Updates available at: [MDOT BlueWaterBridge \(@MDOT_BWB\) / Twitter](#)
 - ii. U.S. Customs & Border Protection reports no delays in crossing from Canada to the U.S for non-commercial traffic.
 - (b) HWY 402 to Blue Water Bridge is experiencing delays for commercial motor vehicles.
- e. **Windsor**
 - (1) General Situation
 - (a) An EMO Field Officer is deployed virtually to provide situational awareness.
 - (2) Transportation networks
 - (a) Ambassador Bridge
 - i. CBSA reports that the border crossing is temporarily closed.
 - ii. Blue Water Bridge is suggested detour route for US-Bound Commercial Traffic due to closures at Windsor Ambassador bridge.
 - (b) Windsor-Detroit tunnel
 - i. Remains open to passenger vehicles.
 - ii. CBSA reports no delays.
 - (3) Critical manufacturing
 - (a) There are media reports of impacts to production at manufacturing plants on both sides of the border due to delays in receiving goods.
- f. **Niagara**
 - (1) Transportation Networks
 - (a) There are media reports of plans to disrupt the Peace Bridge from both sides of the border, although no timing has not yet been confirmed.
- g. **Other Southern Ontario convoys**
 - (1) Open source reporting indicates the following areas may be used for staging convoys and possibly conduct local protests or linking up to form larger protest groups. Major routes may be impacted.
 - (a) Norfolk County

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(b) City of London (c) Oxford County (d) Strathroy				
h. Other Northern Ontario convoys				
(1) Open sources reporting indicates the following areas may be used to stage convoys. Major routes may be impacted. (a) Thunder Bay (b) Fort Frances				
4. Future Outlook:				
a. There are reports that additional protests may occur in the Toronto, Ottawa regions over the next 24 hours. The PEOC continues to monitor the situation for any changes. b. There are reports that additional local protests could occur at various locations across the province this weekend. The PEOC continues to monitor the situation for any changes.				
5. Anticipated Actions:				
a. The PEOC continues to monitor the situation for potential impacts to critical infrastructure sectors and consequence management issues. b. Ministry partners are asked to share situation reports with the PEOC Duty Officer to maintain situational awareness.				
6. Attachments (check ☒ if attached):				
☐ Organization Assignment List		☐ Incident Map		
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